

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Attached hereto please find a replacement Figure 13-1. Please replace all prior versions of Figure 13-1 with the replacement drawing attached hereto.

Submitted previously with the Amendment filed 5 November 2008 were replacement pages for Figures 13-2, 22, 23, 24-1, 24-2 and 25. Please replace all prior versions of Figures 13-2, 22, 23, 24-1, 24-2 and 25 with the six replacements pages thereof that were filed on 5 November 2008.

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed 5 May 2008, Applicants were requested to address informalities relating to providing identifiers for sequences appearing in some of the drawings.

Applicants complied with the filing of replacement Figures 13-1, 13-2, 22, 23, 24-1, 24-2 and 25.

However, there was no explicit instruction to introduce the replacement sheets, which introduced no new matter in the Amendment filed 5 November 2008. That instruction to enter the 6 replacement sheets is provided hereinabove.

The Office communication mailed 12 January 2009 noted an informality in Figure 13-1, which is corrected with the replacement sheet filed concurrently herewith.

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